

2004 Commodity Acceptability Progress Report
Food Distribution Programs
Introduction

The Commodity Acceptability Progress (CAP) Report data for FY/SY 2004 has been compiled by the Food Distribution Division. Federal legislation and regulations require the Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) to collect data from State Distributing Agencies (SDA) and Indian Tribal Organizations (ITO) every two years for the following commodity feeding programs:

- Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP)
- Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP)
- Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR)
- Nutrition Services Incentive Program (NSIP)
- National School Lunch Program (NSLP)

The CAP Report provides an opportunity for recipient agencies (RA) and commodity recipients to communicate their comments and recommendations about commodity offerings to FNS. SDAs and ITOs indicate those commodities that are most and least acceptable as well as recommend new products that their program participants would like to receive. FNS's Food Distribution Division (FDD) compiles and evaluates the data. The CAP Report provides an overall assessment of the opinions expressed by SDAs, ITOs, and RAs. It can be accessed by clicking on the following link below:

<http://www.fns.usda.gov/fdd/caps/cap-rpts.htm>